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the Second Arkansas regiment in the Span-

ish war as a private and came out a second

In the Ocean Race for Manila New

Orleans Has Gained a Day on

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The New Or-

race for Manila, The Brooklyn sailed today

the Suez canal yesterday. But the New Or-

leans, it is said at the Navy department,

has gained a full day's time on the crack

American cruiser, as it is now only three

The surgeon general has been informed

of the arrival of the hospital ship Missouri

at Colombo, November 12, enroute to

Miles Reviews Presidio Troops.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13 .- General Nel-

son A. Miles today reviewed the soldlers

passed in view. The soldiers made an ex-

COLONEL HENRY INMAN DEAD

Author of "Santa Fe Trail" and Many

Other Sketches of West-

ern Life.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 13 .- Colonel Henry

Colonel Inman's father, Henry Inman, was

a celebrated artist and the president of the

death an exhibition of his pictures was

in the purchase of a small farm two miles

east of the village of Hempstead, Long Is-

There Colonel Inman lived for about five

immediately ordered to the Pacific coast,

and served through the flerce Indian cam-

out of the civil war. He served in the army

of the Potomac as aide-de-camp to General

Sikes, commanding the division of regulars

of the Fifth corps. He was severely wounded

in the seven days' battle before Richmond

and was brevetted for gallantry in action.

He was again successively brevetted major

and lieutenant colonel, the latter for his

work in the great Indian winter campaign

Santa Fe Trail," a book of reminiscences.

which brought him a reputation throughout

Wife of Former Senator of Kansas.

DENVER, Nov. 13 .- A special to the Re-

publican from Albuquerque, N. M., says:

Mrs. Fanny M. Ross, wife of Edmund G.

Kansas and former governor of New Mexico,

is dead from dropsy. She removed to this

city with her husband from Lawrence, Kan.,

R. W. Hayward.

Telegram.)-R. W. Hayward, a prominent

farmer and old settler of Minnehaha coun-

ty, is dead at his home in Mapleton town-

Baroness Levitzowe.

VIENNA, Nov. 13 .- The Baroness Ulrike-

Levitzowe, to whom Goethe dedicated his

TRAGEDY AT LEVEE CAMP

Enraged Man Fires Both Barrels of

Shotgun Into a Tent, Wound-

ing Seven People.

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., Nov. 13 .- News

reaches here of a distressing tragedy at a

levee camp below here. Charles Pearman,

who had for some reason become angry with

a family named Poe, went to Poe's tent with

double barreled shotgun and fired both

barrels into the tent, striking and danger-

ously wounding seven out of the family of

one has since died and the mother is not

expected to live. Pearman escaped across

the Mississippi river and took refuge in the

captured him and he is now in jail here.

Buddhist Temple for San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—Several Buddhist missionaries now here are taking steps to crect a temple of their faith in this city.

Pearman is about 21 years of age.

One small child was killed instantly,

ship. Deceased was an old soldier.

Two years ago he published "The Old

of 1868-69, by General Philip Sheridan.

the United States.

trilogy, is dead.

days behind, starting with a handicap.

Manila. All on board are well.

pressed himself as highly pleased.

here today, aged 62.

land.

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ing, but extinguished the fire and saved the ment before entering the army. He entered building. The main column marched up the wagon road, but before reaching Tarlac divided, lieutenant. His father lives at Dardanelle, entering the town on two sides at 8 o'clock and is circuit clerk of Yell county. without a shot being fired. The insurgents had evacuated the place only a few hours OUTSAILING THE BROOKLYN before setting fire to the railroad station and the rolling stock. They left a rear guard of 400 men, who, however, failed to make a stand and cover the retreat of the main force of insurgents, as they had prob-

The rebel ordnance is reported to have been shipped to the town of O'Donnell. The Americans are continuing their ad- from Port Tewfik for Aden, at the mouth vance so rapidly that the insurgents have of the Red Sea, while the New Orleans arnot the time necessary to destroy the rail- rived at Port Said at the western end of

ably been ordered to do.

REWARD OF NAVAL HEROES

Admiral Crowninshield Makes a Change in the Portion of His Annual Report Which Refers to It.

WASPINGTON, Nov. 13 .- Admiral Crowninshield, chief of the Navigation bureau, has made a change in that portion of his annual report which refers to the failure of the department's efforts to redeem its stationed at the Presidio. Nearly 8,000 men promises to reward the naval heroes of the

war. The language of the report now stands: cellent appearance and General Miles ex-"The greatest among these has not as much as the medal which was given to each of the hundreds who shared in a victory won in an hour more propitious for reward." The change is explained as follows in a

footnote: "In the original draft the report reads: 'In an hour more propitious for reward.' read. 'Won in a more propitious hour.' A misconstruction of my meaning in these words as they originally stood has led Inman, author and ex-plainsman, associate me to make the present reading correspond exactly with what was meant and generally understood in the first place.'

TO SUCCEED CAPTAIN HOWARD National Academy of Design. After his

Vacancy Caused by Death.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The president has appointed First Lieutenant Thomas H. Slavens, Fourth cavalry, a captain and assistant quartermaster, vice Captain Howard, recently killed in the Philippines. Lieupaigns in the far west up to the breaking tenant Slavens was graduated from the Military academy and appointed to the Fourth cavalry in June, 1877.

Mules Sail for Manila. SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 13 .- The government transport Garronne, with a cargo of 387 army mules for use in the Philippines, has sailed for Manila. The transport Victoria has arrived from Manila, which port it left October 14. The Victoria took a cargo of 413 cavalry horses from Tacoma and eight cavalrymen from this city. It landed 402 of the animals safely in Manila. The Victoria brought four civilian passengers from the Philippines and had a rough voyage.

Davis a Little Rock Recruit. LITTLE ROCK, Nov. 13,-Lieutenant Julian A. Davis, Thirty-sixth United States infantry, who was killed in action in the Philippines yesterday, resided here. He was appointed July 29 last and reached Manila a month ago. Davis was 27 years of age and was a captain in the Little Rock fire depart

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of the Philippine commission, Con-siderable evidence bearing on the question has been collected and besides presenting this testimony with their full report it is expected that their recommendation will be made, which will have considerable influence in shaping the course of this gov ernment and the action of congress. It is understood that two members of the CAMELS'-HAIR PLAIDS-Are here in

commission, Messre, Denby and Worcester, the popular combinations, soft effects have expressed themselves as favorable to an application of the Chinese exclusion act to the Philippines. From the fact that Genexclusion it is assumed that his voice, as a member of the commission, also would be law. for Chinese exclusion in the Philippines.

Should Be Applied to Philippines.

quirles United States is Making

of Powers Regarding "Open

Door" Policy in China.

The position of Admiral Dewey, however, is understood to be favorable to Chinese admission. While this personal view of the admiral has been expressed to friends, it is not known whether he would give it official exclusion. The attitude of President Schurman has not been made known even in an nformal way.

extent with the inquiries which the United | eral. States is now making of other powers as to the maintenance of an open door policy in China. It was stated today in an authoritative diplomatic quarter that in case the United States adopted a permanent policy of Chinese exclusion in the Philippines there was little doub; such a course would cause China to be less friendly in her co-operation with the plans of the United States to extend our trade in the empire.

WANT PENSION LAW REVISED leans is beating the Brooklyn in the ocean Grand Army of the Republic Committee Calls on President McKinley with a Request.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The committee on pension legislation appointed at the recent encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at Philadelphia called at the White House today and presented to the president the report adopted at the encampment asking for the modification of certain regulations relative to pensions The committee consisted of R. B. Brown of Zanesville, O., chairman; General A. D. Shaw, commander-in-chief; Major J. W. Burt of Sycamore, Ill., General Daniel E. Sickles of New York, Charles Clark Adams of Boston and Past Commander-in-Chief

John M. Palmer. The report asks the president if he deems t within his authority so to do, to issue an executive order to the effect that in determining the pensionable status of a soldler and in fixing his rate of pension the several disabilities which he may have sustained shall be grouped and taken into consideration. The report further asks the president to direct that the practice of refusing pensions to widows of soldiers who have incomes of \$96 a year or more be disconof Colonel W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill), died tinued and that the limit of income in such

cases shall be raised to \$250 a year. The committee was with the president for more than an hour and a half. The committee stated that M. Evans, the commis-President Appoints First Lieutenant given by the academy for the benefit of his with the suggestions, he maintaining according to Fill widow, the receipts of which were employed ever, that the remedy lay entirely with congress, as in his judgment the existing pension laws did not warrant such construcion. The president listened with great attention to all the committee had to say, years. He entered the army in 1857 and was and in conclusion assured them that their remarks would have the fullest considera-

CONFIRM FALL OF CABELLO

Telegrams to State and Navy Departments-Naval Surgeons Attend Wounded.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- Both the State and Navy departments have received reports concerning the surrender of Parades at Puerto Cabello Venezuela, vesterday. The State department dispatch is from Minister Loomis at Caracas and is as follows:

"After eight hours' fighting Castro's army took Puerto Cabello this morning. Killed and wounded aggregate 300. Surgeons and hospital corps from foreign cruisers attending wounded. Local facilities inadequate. Castro holds every port and place of consequence in Venezuela.

Ross, former United States senator from The Navy department's report comes from Commander Hemphill of the Detroit, which night at 9:35 and reads as follows: "Severe fighting since Saturday. About 300 SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Nov. 13 .- (Special his final position to Castro's force Sunday

> morning. INQUIRY INTO CORPORATION LAWS.

West Virginia. companies. Mr. King attributed the popu- in the returns for the division. larity of New Jersey for the incorporation. Bail was also entered today in the sum of trusts to the effect that the state granted of \$1,000 for Jeseph Rodgers, lieutenant of a more liberal charter than do most other the capitol police, and Clarence Meeser, anstates. He thought, however, that under the other of the alleged repeaters. Neither of Prof. McGiffert accepts as it stands. The New Jersey laws not only the stockholders the men could be found and bail was furbut the public as well were amply pro- nished by John F. Sinier, a member of the tected.

laws. He said that companies incorporated Deputy Coroner Salter will be arraigned. Tennessee forests. A poste followed and in that state were not required to keep agen s there or to have on file anywhere in the

atate a duplicate list of stockholders. PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS.

survivors of the Civil War Remembered by the General Government. ollowing western pensions have been

Nebraska: Increase-Robert McJianna, alimont, \$12 to \$14; John Pray, Omaha, \$12 to \$14,
Iowa: Restoration and add:ional-Robert
A. Sinclair, deceased, Hancock, \$5 to \$12,
Increase-George W. Sweeney, Orceola, \$5
to \$12; Samuel Savage, Tabor, \$5 to \$12, Iteissue and increase-Daniel D. Miller, Ottumwa, \$5 to \$12. Original widows, etc.—
Mary F. Sinclair, Hancock, \$5; infinor of
Willis M. Brott, Valley Junction, \$10.
Colorado: Original-Albert S. Tracy, Dallas, \$6; Jose Gonzales, Sen Luis, \$5.

Storing of Flood Waters. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The question of for \$600. storing flood waters for irrigation purposes. which is being generally discussed at this time throughout the west, has brought in to much correspondence to the Geological Sazek, Prokop & Co.'s store was completely survey that Frederick H. Newell, the hydrographer, has issued a circular setting forth is estimated at \$20,000, with \$12,000 insur-

ment surveys and the attitude of the gov- OTHER CITIES JOIN ST. LOUIS ernment toward the building of storage reservoirs. The circular says that a large number of reservoir sites in western states Commission Considering Whether Exclusion the maps and estimates of cost of construction have been prepared and plans drawn, to afford an accurate basis for "ap-propriation for construction." The circular DEWEY FAVORS THEIR ADMISSION states that the officers of the survey have no concern with the question whether these reservoirs are to be built by private capital Question Involves to Some Extent Inor public funds.

Chilean Claims Treaty Amended. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The United States minister at Santiago has informed the State department by cable that the Chilean WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- Whether the legislature has ratified the treaty providing Chinese exclusion law should be for a renewal of the Chilean claims commisapplied to the Philippines is among cion. Unfortunately, however, the Chilean subjects engaging the attention government amended the treaty at two points, but they will require the return of the treaty to the United States and its resubmission to the Unied States senate for ratification.

> Recess for Supreme Court. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.-Chief Justice uller of the United States surreme court announced today that the court would take a recess for a fortnight, beginning next Mon-The supreme court today advanced the case of Knowlton against Moore, to be heard with the case of High against Coyne on the 4th of December next. Both cases involve the constitutionality of the inheritance tax The Knowlton case originated in Brooklyn and the High case in Chicago.

Claims in Carter Case Postponed. government for the recovery of sums alleged expression in case all his colleagues on the to be due on contracts entered into with commission favored a recommendation of them by former Captain Oberlin M. Carter for improvements to the Savannah (Ga.) harbor, now before the United States court of claims, was again postponed today until next The exclusion question is involved to some | Monday upon the motion of the attorney gen-

> Ludlow Confers with Root. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- Brigadier General Ludlow, military governor of Havana, who has been spoken of in connection with the civil governorship of Cuba, when such an office shall be established, was at the War department today and had a long conference with Secretary Root. The secretary afterwards went with General Ludlow to the

> Replies of European Nations Delayed. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The replies of the European nations interested in China to the request of the State department for a formal undertaking to preserve the "open door" in the east are not expected for several weeks, inasmuch as the exchanges are not taking place in Washington but at the various European capitals.

Indian Land Case Advanced. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The United States supreme court has advanced the hearing of the case involving a conflict between the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians on the one side and the Wichitas on the other over the possession of large tracts of land in Indian Territory. The case was set for the first Monday in March.

McKinley to Address Masons. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- President Mc-Kinley today premised to make an address at Mount Vernon on December 14, when the Masonic observance of the 100th anniversary of Washington's death will occur.

Mrs. Bagley Given a Pension. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- A pension of sioner Evans to Adelaide W. Bagley, mother present tariff schedule. of Lieutenant Worth Bagley, who was killed in the war with Spain.

Soldier Dies of Typhoid. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.-General Brooke sioner of pensions, was heartily in accord | vember 11 of James E. Divinney of Company of appeals affirmed the decision of Judge typhoid fever

> WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The comptroller of the currency has declared a' 5 per cent dividend in favor of the creditors of the Citizens' National bank of Grand Island,

Grand Island Bank Dividends.

Texan Gets a Consulate. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- The president has appointed Jesse H. Johnson of Texas to be consul of the United States at Coatlcook Quebec, Canada.

ARREST IN ELECTION CASE

Surrenders Himself.

Deputy Coroner Salter of Philadelphia, Charged with Fraud.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 13 .- Deputy Coroner Samuel P. Salter, who is involved in the alleged election frauds in the Thirteenth division of the Seventh ward, and for whom a warrant had been issued, surrendered himself today. He entered \$1,000 ball to appear for a hearing next Thursday.

The warrant charges Salter with conspiring with others to procure and cast frauduis now at Puerto Cabello. It is dated last lent ballots and make false returns at the recent election. Salter's arrest is the result of the hearing last week of five alleged rekilled on both sides. Parades surrendered peaters, who are said to have been brought to this city from Washington by Lieutenant eral assembly prepared expressly for Prof. Rodgers of the capitol police and who are now under bail for trial. At this hearing George Kirkland, one of the defendants, who Testimony About New Jersey and acted as minority inspector on election day, testified that under Salter's direction he as-WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.-The Industrial sisted in depositing 200 ballots in the box commission today heard testimony bearing before the polls opened. He also testified upon the corporation laws of the states of that only 124 legal votes were cast in the New Jersey and West Virginia. C. H. King division, while the returns showed 239, of of Jersey City, representing the New Jersey which 332 were given to Barnett, the repubcorporation agencies, stated that his com- lican candidate for state treasurer, and only pany represented several hundred corpora- five for his democratic opponent. Thomas tions which were registered in his office. He J. Ryan, candidate for city commissioner on declined, however, to give a full list of the the ticket with Creasy, was given 145 votes

state legislature. A. P. Nevin, a New York attorney, who The warrants for Rodgers and Meeser represents several corporations originating were issued after the hearing of the five the following elders: William Magie, O'car in West Virginia, detailed at length the Washington men, Rodgers and Meeser will E. Boyd and Titus B. Meigs. Mr. Boyd was provisions of the West Virginia corporation be given a hearing on Thursday, when the only one of the committee absent at a

FIRE RECORD.

Harvard Scorched.

HARVARD, Neb., Nov. 13 .- (Special.) --At 3 c'clock yesterday morning fire was discovered in the storeroom of S. R. Jones, WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 .- (Special.) - The groceries and furniture, and before it could be extinguished the building and stock were a total loss. The adjoining store com was occupied by H. C. Stokes as a drug store and telephone exchange and residence on the second floor. The building was saved in a much damaged condition with some of the stock, but the household furniture is a com-

Mr. Stokes' loss will be largely covered by insurance, both on building and stock, but the \$500 insurance on furniture will not more than half cover the loss. The building occupied by Mr. Jones as a furniture sto e and owned by T. A. Barbour was insured

Loss of \$20,000 at Wilher. WILBER, Neb., Nov. 13 .- (Special.) destroyed by fire Sunday morning. The loss

have been surveyed and reserved and that | Complain of Discrimination in the Fixing of Western Freight Rater.

Hearing at St. Louis Before Interstate Commerce Commission-Chiengo.

Minnenpolis, St. Paul, Kansas

City Enter Complaints. ST. LOUIS, Nov. 13 .- The Interstate Commerce commission began the hearing today of the complaint of the St. Louis Business Men's league against Pacific coast railreads and their connections in the matter of discrimination against St. Louis in the fixing of freight rates. Of the commission only four

of Illinois, who was recently appointed a member of the commission, is here, but has not been sworn in. All the defendant roads were represented by counsel, as were also a number of cities other than St. Louis, which desired to join

with it in the complaint of freight rate dis-

H. S. Christy and Hon. W. J. Calhoun, a former member of the commission, appeared as coursel for the Business Men's league. A delegation from Davenport, Ia., was present, consisting of G. S. Baker, D. B. Home, E. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 - The case of the M. Sharon, J. S. T. Jackson, G. W. Scott, A. Atlantic Contracting company against the G. Goldschmidt, M. L. Works and Lon Bry-

> Attorney E. S. Pillsbury read a lengthy pe tition of intervention on behalf of the Paclific Coest Merchants' and Manufacturers' association, who desired to join with the railroads in replying to the complaint.

> Other Complaints Are Filed. On behalf of the plaintiff's contention petitions of intervention were filed by the Chicago Merchants' association, the merchants and manufacturers of Milwaukee, the jobbers and shippers of St. Paul and Minneapolis, the Kansas City Transportation bureau and the Commercial club of St. Joseph, Mo. After Attorney Christy had read the complaint, A. J. Vanlandingham, commissioner of the St. Louis Traffic bureau, was placed on the stand as the first witness for the plaintiff. His testimony was largely techni-

> From existing tariffs he showed how the middle west was being practically excluded from Pacific coast territory because of discrimination in rates. The points he aimed to show were that unreasonable differences exist between carload and less than carload class and commodity rates and that there were such variations in less than carload rates on hardware and other articles that St. Louis and middle western jobbers could not ship such freight to the Pacific coast

at a profit. At the afternoon session Mr. Vanlandingham resumed his direct testimony. He said he believed the tariff of June, 1898, was adopted as the result of some kind of an agreement between the railroads interested and the jobbers of the Pacific coast, and cited testimony given at a St. Paul meeting in support of his belief. He did not know of his own knowledge that such an agreement had been made, bue he had heard references to "a contract."

Attorney Harrin for the Southern Pacific conducted the cross-examination. He could not shake Mr. Vanlandingham's testimony that in his opinion something besides a mere question of meeting of rail and water com-\$15 per month has been granted by Commis- pctition had entered into the framing of the

Judge Severn's Decision Upheld. CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 13.-In the case of the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Rallway against the Interstate Commerce at Havana has reported the death on No- Commission the United States circuit court H. Fifth infantry, who died at Guantanamo Severn in the circuit court involving the Severn in the circuit court involving the controversy between Chattanooga and Nash-ville under the long and short haul provision

MARYVILLE, Mo., Nov. 13.—(Special.)—Thieves broke into the hardware store of E. W. Miller here last night and stole of the interstate commerce law. Charges were made against the Louisville & Nashville and other railways that there were discriminations in favor of Nashville on obtained. through eastern freights, although that city was 150 miles farther away from the Atlantic seaboard than Chattanoora. The decision is regarded as an important precedent on the short haul requirement.

PRESBYTERIAN HERESY CASE

Prof. McGiffert of Union Theological School Must Defend His Views at General Assembly.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.-The case of Prof. Arthur McGiffert of Union Theological seminary, who is charged with holding views at variance with the doctrines of the Presbyterian church, came before the presbytery today and was referred to the general assembly.

A committee was appointed last June to confer with Prof. McGiffert and prevail on him to withdraw from the church or modify his views. Meetings have been held, which Prof. McGiffert attended, but he steadfastly refused to recede from the stand he had taken on certain church matters, saying that he had been misunderstood. The gen-McGiffert's case an outline of the fundamental principles of the church. These

1. That the statements of the holy scriptures are absolutely truthful, free from error when interpreted in their natural and error when interpreted in their natural and intended sense.

2. That in Jesus Christ there were two whole perfect and distinct natures, the godhead and the manhood being inseparably joined together in one person without conversion and confusion, so that He was in no particular liable to error.

3. That the Lord's supper was instituted by the direct and personal act of Jesus Christ to be observed in His church unto the end of the world.

4. That God justified men by imputing the obedience and satisfaction of Christ to them, they resting upon Him in all His righteousness by faith, which faith they receive as the gift of God.

It is only the last of these statements that

It is only the last of these statements that ferred was composed of Dr. Robert Sample, a tree last Wednesday, dislocating his elbo chairman; Dr. John B. Shaw, Rev. Dr. R. and breaking the lower bones of the arm. committee to whom the matter was re-

chairman; Dr. John B. Shaw, Rev. Dr. R. R. Booth and Rev. Dr. John C. Bliss, and meeting of the committee held just prior to the meeting of the presbytery. The report was voluminous, Its essence was that the case should be referred to the general ascase should be referred to the general as-sombly which meets in St. Louis next May. The report was accepted and ordered printed for private distribution among the members of the presbytery and made the members of the presbytery and made the order of the day of the December meeting. At the conclusion of the reading of the report Prof. Francis Brown, Dr. Howard Agnew Johnson and Rev. Dr. Henry Van-

dyke read suggestions in which it was adviced that the controversy over Prof. Mc-Giffert be dropped. Dr. Johnson's paper was heard first, then Prof. Brown's and Dr. Vandyke's, and they were in substance alike. Dr. Vandyke said that while a majority did not agree with Prof. McGiffert, the wisdom of a heresy trial was doubtful and might result in harm to the Presby-PACIFIC COAST ROADS ARE DEFENDANTS terian cause. In view of preparations for a series of Presbyterian revivals in this city this fall and winter the postponement of the discussion of the subject and the reference to the general assembly were thought de-

SOUTH DAKOTA NEWS.

Figuring Up Republican Majority. ABERDEEN, S. D., Nov. 13.-(Special.)-The election returns are practically all it and Chairman C. N. Herriel advises that the republican majority will not be less than This is a conservative estimate and although not as high as the first estimates members were present-Chairman M. A. is still a good, substantial victory. A par-Knapp, C. T. Prouty, J. D. Yoemans and J. ticularly hard fight was made against Judge Clements. Ex-Governor Joseph W. Fifer Fuller, but Fuller only falls behind the rest of the ticket about 800 votes.

The children of the city schools are contributing a penny each toward the Dewey watch fund. Several other cities in the northwest have a like project under way and it is the intention to secure several hundred dollars in this manner,

W. L. Shunk has received a carload of calves from Vermont, which will be held here and fed.

A great many people are arranging to watch for the meteoric display which is predicted for next Tuesday night. Several watch parties have been organized and those not awake will be aroused by the blowing of the fire alarm whistle.

Implement Dealers Organize. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Nov. 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-At a meeting this evening preliminary steps were taken toward forming an organization to be known as the South Dakota Implement Dealers association. The capital and business represented by the association when perfected will be greater than that of any other organization in the state. Dealers in that part of southwestern Minnesota and northwestern Iowa tributary to Sloux Falls are to be admitted to the association. Temporary officers are: R. P. Z. Sherman of Sherman Bros, & Bratager of Sioux Falls, H. M. Westfall of Peru Plow & Implement Co., Sloux Falls and Council Bluffs. Another meeting has been called for next Saturday evening, when a permanent organization will be formed.

November Thunderstorm. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Nov. 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-This portion of the northwest was treated to a novelty this evening in the Angelic- Innocentform of a severe thunder and rain storm. As yet no snow has fallen here.

Burke Leaves for Washington. PIERRE, S. D., Nov. 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-Congressman Burke left this morning for Washington to remain for the congressional session. He was tendered a farewell banquet Sunday night. Locomotive Smashes Street Car.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 13.—A locomotive drawing a caboose struck a street car on Detroit street at the Lake Shore railroad at 6 o'clock this evening, reducing it to kindling wood. Five persons were injured and that nearly everyone in the car was not killed outright is marvelous. The injured are: C. G. Buhton, head cut; Mark Thor foot crushed; Harry Morris, head cut; O. C. Seybrek, head and face cut, and Mrs. W. E. Wooters, badly bruised. The car contained eight persons and the locomotive, after knocking it over, plowed through it and mashed it into bits.

Forerunner of National Grange. Forerunner of National Grange.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Nov. 13.—With a grand parade, in which Governor Bushnell participated, the Industrial exposition which is to be the feature of the state and national grange convention and meets here during the next ten days, was formally opened. The exposition consists of exhibits made by the 249 manufacturers of Springfield. Governor Bushnell was the chief speaker. The national grange will open Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Elevator Alds Thieves. \$100 worth of razors, revolvers an car-tridges. They pried open the basement door and pulled themselves up on the ele-vator. No clew to their identity has been

Wheeling Employes Ask an Advance. CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 13.—A committee representing all branches of service on the Wheeling & Lake Eric railroad called on President Blickensderfer today and requested a general advance of 10 per cent in wages. The request was taken under

Hig Deal in Mineral Lands. MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 13.—A Journal special from Virginia, Minn., says it is reported from reliable sources that the Minnesota Iron company has purchased the Nelson Lumber company's mineral lands on the Mesaba range. The consideration was \$1,000,008.

Smith's Plurality Twelve Thousand. BALTIMORE, Nov. 13 .- The official count of the ballots cast at last Tuesday's elec-tion gives Colonel John Walter Smith, democratic candidate for governor, 12,121 plurality over Lowndes, republican incum-bent. Colonel Smith carried Baltimore city

Mrs. Jefferson Davis at Princeton. PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 13.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the late confederate leader, is being entertained at Princeton Inn. Mrs. Davis is visiting her grandson, Charles Hayes, who is a student at the Lawrenceville school.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Florence. The election in Florence precinct was ively one this year. Prof. and Mrs. William Lighton are visit-ng relatives in Omaha. Miss Signa Bondesson of Omaha spent last Sunday at her parents' home.

Miss Edith Sutherland of Blair was the ruest of Miss Eunice Tracy several days ast week. Miss Hazer Connell of Omaha was the guest of Misses Harriet and Julia Hunt Friday evening.

The Ladies' guild of St. Mark's church served their annual lunch at the city hal election day and netted \$22.25. John G. Corcoran, who has been engaged with a contract of grading near Wall Lake, Ia., spent last Sunday at home. Rev. Mr. Morrison of the Omaha Theolog ical seminary occupied the pulpit at Presbyterian church last Sunday night F. M. George has secured employment if the Union Pacific shops in Omaha. He moved his family to the city last Thursday Mrs. William Fielding's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Peterson of Ponca, Neb., have arrived here to make this their future home.

W. B. Parks, the contractor, was taken seriously ill while at work Friday morning. He was found unconscious and removed to his home.

Master Henry Wilson accidentally dis-charged a 52-caliber revolver while out at George Phelan's farm last Sunday. The result was an ugly wound in the paim of his left hand. He was taken to Clarkson hospital, where the bullet was removed.

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